

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Elena COSTA et al.

Serial No. 10/563,941

Group Art Unit: 2617

Confirmation No. 3628

Filed: January 10, 2006

Examiner: AJIBADE AKONAI, OLUMIDE

For: METHOD FOR SYNCHRONIZING A RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM DIVIDED  
INTO RADIO CELLS

**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in further in response to the Office Action mailed November 9, 2009, and having a period for response set to expire on February 9, 2010. A Response and Petition for a three-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, was submitted on May 7, 2010, thereby extending the period for response to May 9, 2010.

The following additional remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.